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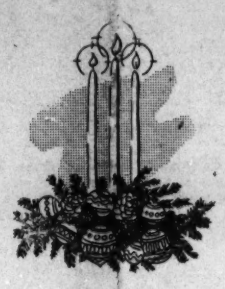
FOR INDUSTRIAL SAFETY—Shown with Governor Luther H. Hodges, second from right, are Clarence N. Cone and Marion W. Heiss, Cone Mills Vice presidents; Benjamin Cone, at right, a company director and former mayor of Greensboro; and Wallace Bourne, of Cone Mills' Safety Department, chairman of the Piedmont Safety Council. The Governor was speaker for the meeting of the council on December 7 at Proximity School when Cone Mills was the host. (See Textorian, December 9 for story.)



May the Joys and Graces of Christmas-tide
Be Richly yours in Bounteous measure;
Sweetly linger and Truly Abide
To enhance the Trove of your Memory's treasure.

May th' Approaching Year—with Heart unfurled
In Union with Faith and dauntless Love
Bring Gifts of Peace to a troubled World—
'The Olive Branch and Gentle Dove.'

What Joy to All—What Thrill!—to dwell
On the Glad'ning Refrain to the Anxious ear,
When Truth will whisper: "Yes—All is Well"
And the Trumpet echoes Rich and Clear
"Peace on Earth—A Happy New Year."

CONE FOUNDATION GIFT—Dwight M. Davidson, office manager of Cone Mills' Minneola Plant at Gibsonville is shown presenting a check for $1,000 from the Cone Foundation to Mrs. Paul W. Edwards, president of the PTA of the Gibsonville school. The donation will be used toward the purchase of an activity bus for grades one through 12 in the Gibsonville school system.

Attendance Roll At Proximity School

The following students at Proximity School had perfect attendance records for the third school month this year.

Mrs. Proffitt, 1st grade: Wally Brown, Ray Dail, Samuel Harvell, Bobby Hopkins, Eddie Jarrett, Byron Kennedy, Michael Matherly, Robert Misenheimer, Douglas Overcash, Kenneth Rogers, Steve Simpson, Jessie Stanley, Chris Thore, Shelvia Jean Dupree, Cynthia Gerringer, Karen Jones, Rhonda McGhee, Celia Sullivan, Jane Young.

Mrs. Williamson, 1st grade: Curtis Cable, Calvin Hutchins, Randy Jones, Thomas Levan, Jimmy Myrick, Albert Pearce, Tull Scott, Terry Stephens, Leon Robertson, Ronnie Jones, Cecil Peck, Sharon Beck, Terry Douglas, Michele Hoyman, Belva Newsome, Charlotte Stone, Cynthia Pegram, Nancy Dodson.

Mrs. Andrews, 2nd grade: Ruth Ann Barker, Paul Carver, Nelson Dail, Johnette Edwards, Linda Gales, Phyllis Hammer, Sue Harder, Floyd Houston, Pamela Holmes, Roland Jordan, Jo Ann Kenyon, Michael Lowder, Sally Ann May, Jerry McSwain, Jimmy Patterson, Bruce Pearman, Jo Marie Ritter, Barbara Swaim, Michael Trull, Peggy Ann Yow.

Miss McMahan, 2nd grade: Michael Barham, Dewey Bridges, Billy Ellington, David Hughes, Rodney McDowell, Bernard Poole, Ronald Powers, Larry Ritter, Kenneth Stanley, Ann Campbell, Phyllis Everage, Brenda Gillie, Charlene Jones, Deborah Mays, Martha Moore, Carol Sue Patterson, Linda Sue Rodden, Janice Shropshire, Rebecca Sullivan, Jane Teague, Nancy Wall, Gloria Welch, Betty Sue Mabe.

Mrs. Hopkins, 3rd grade: Jimmy Barker, Raymond Barton, Stephen Crawley, Jan House, Jerry Hyatt, Jerry Johnson, Richard Lemmons, Carl Levan, Wayne Lumley, Alan Marshall, Richard Noah, Douglas Pearce, Baxter Swearington, Alan Wilson, Maynard Zimmerman, Louise Barton, Margaret Cable, Cheryl Jackson, Cheryl Phillips.

Miss Causey, 3rd grade: Howard Edwards, Donald Farlow, James Gray, James Kennedy, Carl Mitchell, Frankie Seller, Larry Thomas, Janice Brady, Patsy Stephens, Judith Strickland, Edith Swofford, Jean Thornbro, Donna Wade, Brenda Zeigler.

Miss Causey, 4th grade: Jackie Campbell, Jerry Clapp, Wilbert Dixon, Betty Martin, Janie Morrison, Bennie Gayle Thornburg, Barbara Wade.

Miss Goode, 4th grade: Robert "Bud" Barton, Larry Canter, Thomas Fields, Albert Gregory, Ronald McCandless, Kenneth McCann, Walter Snow, Berton Stanley, Sandra Bateman, Judy Causey, Gwendolyn Crabtree, Reita Dail, Terry Hyatt, Gayle Smith, Carolyn Stanley, Janice Stutts, Janice Vetito.

Mrs. Phillips, 5th grade: Carolyn Bateman, Marilyn Beaver, Linda Edwards, Sandra Flanery, Charles Hicks, Eddie Hutson, Brenda McCauley, Eva Mae Newell, Judy Pegram, Linda Powers, Faye Shelton, Larry Stevens, Ellen Stanley, Patricia Sullivan, Jo Anne Wall, David Watson, Harry Wright, Wanda Jones.

Mrs. Smoot, 6th grade: Michael Brady, Eddy Cable, David Cockman, Alton Cole, C. D. Crutchfield, Richard Curtis, Roy Edwards, Victor Gregory, Larry Newell, Donald Pearce, Donnie Phillips, Barbara Keller, Garbara Komar, Ellen McDaniel, Molly Malone, Jean May, Sandra Mays, Rita Redding, Cheryl Swaney.

Miss Denny, 7th grade: Dalton Amick, J. D. Brame, Nancy Campbell, Sharron Davison, Wayne Durham, Bobby Foust, Robert Hill, Linda Johnson, Harry McDonald, Delane Nabors, Woodie Parrish, Jean Redding, Richard Smith, June Wright.

Miss Grubbs, 7th grade: Jane

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Funeral Held For Colonel Harrison

Funeral was held Thursday afternoon in Hankins and Whittington Chapel, Charlotte, for Colonel C. Harrison, Proximity Plant Machine Shop employee. Mr. Harrison died while at work Tuesday morning. He was 68 years old and had been with the company for 20 years. Burial was in Sharon Memorial Park, Charlotte.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. H. A. Niven of Charlotte.

Union Bleachery Recognized For Purifying Project

Last Sunday's Greenville, (S. C.) News carried nearly a full page on "Union Bleachery Leads Way in Cleaning Up Reedy" The Reedy referred to is the Reedy River near Greenville. Six photographs illustrate the story.

The article states that there are several plants there which use water from the river and return their waste water from manufacturing processes back into the stream which winds it way through the city.

"But Union Bleachery officials have not ignored the problem of the Reedy.

"Over a period of more than nine years, engineering and chemical research at Union has been devoted to the problem and in the past years an engineering plan has been completed and put into operation."

Now in operation, Union Bleachery has a recovery system which removes caustic soda from its waste water before turning it into the stream. This is a filtering and evaporation process which reclaims the caustic soda from the waste water so that it may be reused in the bleaching process.

W. T. Linton, director of S.C. Wa-

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Club Holds Annual Christmas Dinner

Proximity-Print Works Community Club had their annual Christmas dinner on Tuesday, December 13 at Proximity YMCA.

Mrs. H. B. Ritter read a Christmas story, then the group sang together and had other special music.

Refugee children from behind the Iron Curtain learn about Santa Claus at a party given for them on Christmas Day by the Crusade for Freedom.

Replacements Made In Several Depts.

The following replacements for retired employees at Cone Mills have been made:

John W. Lipscomb, who replaces Eugene Hood, has been named sales manager, Waste, Salvage and Machinery Sales Department. He will be assisted by Leon Stone.

Charles P. Shepherd succeeds Banner L. Maness as assistant overseer of the Proximity Power Plant.

Exra Lashley, who has been a Cone trainee, succeeds Charles R. Morphis as assistant overseer of the Beaming Room at White Oak Plant.

Marvin Apple replaces Eugene W. Dodson, as assistant overseer of Carding at Revolution Flannel Plant.

William E. Kennedy replaces Horace K. Greeson as master mechanic at Eno Plant, Hillsboro.

Clarence F. Moss succeeds Frank W. Bridges as overseer of Carding at Salisbury Plant. Mr. Moss was formerly assistant overseer of Carding at White Oak.

Loy A. Wortman succeeds Victor V. Fortune as overseer of Supply Rooms, Cliffside Division. Mr. Wortman has been connected with that department for the past 20 years.

Woodrow W. Fowler, formerly overseer of Spinning at American Spinning Plant, Greenville, S. C. replaces William C. Johnson as superintendent there.

Our Thanks

The lovely Christmas poem on this page was written by Mr. and Mrs. John J. McSorley.

At the request of The Textorian, they have graciously consented to let us share it with our readers.

We wish to express our appreciation to the McSorleys for such a fine contribution to our Christmas issue.

Mr. Mac, who is head of the Cone Mills Inc. Printing Office, has been with the company for 55 years and seven months.

Mrs. T. S. Funderburk Has Christmas Tea

Mrs. T. S. Funderburk, girls and women's director for Cone Memorial YMCA, entertained at tea last Sunday afternoon at her home on Huffine Road. Among the more than 30 guests were her co-workers and the members of the clubs in the local communities which she sponsors. Presidents of these clubs assisted about the house, which was decorated in the Yuletide motif.

Mrs. Clarence Henson poured tea; Mrs. Lloyd Robinson gave greetings and good-bys, and Mrs. Richard Sullivan registered guests. Mrs. Hannibal Moore and Mrs. Lloyd Brafford were also invited to assist.

Mrs. Funderburk presented each of the presidents with wall platters.

No matter how small they are, disease-producing organisms in lake and river waters can now be detected with a new membrane filter, according to the **American Peoples Encyclopedia.** The filter is so fine it strains bacteria from water.

Annual Student Night At Eller Memorial

The annual "Student Night at Christmas" program will be presented at the Eller Memorial Baptist Church, Sunday night, December 25, at 7:30 p.m.

There are 20 young people from the Eller Memorial Church who are in college, nurse's training or business school, and they will be in charge of this program.

The theme of the program is "He Calls Us to Follow". Four talks will be given in keeping with this theme by Brantley Edwards, Charles Andrews, Delsie Butler and Jimmy Jordan. Special music will be provided by the youth choir of the church, and by a quartet composed of Rachel Kincaid, Jimmy Kincaid, Judy Kincaid and Bob Johnson. Tommy McDonald will also sing a solo.

Other students participating in the program will be James Lambert, Martha Collins, Lawrence McCranie, Vernon Swofford, Jerry Matherly, Larry Summers, Cozette Duncan, Virginia McKinney, Harold Nicholson, Jim McQueen, Johnny Oakes, and Jim Morris.

President Eisenhower Endorses Campaign

"The Crusade for Freedom is an effective and practical expression of American citizens' firm conviction that peoples who historically have been independent and who have been unjustly deprived of their right to self-government, must be restored to freedom, once again proud in their individual national heritages, strong in their independence. Radio Free Europe is giving these people moral strength and purpose. It is especially effective because it is a private effort. For these reasons the Crusade for Freedom has my wholehearted support."—Dwight D. Eisenhower

Crusade for Freedom, which sponsors Radio Free Europe and Free Europe Press, is privately supported by the American people. You can join in this fight against Communism by sending your contribution to Crusade for Freedom, Inc., 345 East 46th Street, New York 17, N. Y.

German Children Grateful For Gifts Of Cone Fabrics

Several letters to Sydney M. Cone, Jr., vice president of Cone Mills, from Berlin, Germany bring the true Christmas spirit. The letters, in German, illustrated all around with children's water color sketches, then with a typed translation, illustrated equally as beautifully, are in appreciation of a shipment of Cone fabrics sent on behalf of the German Youth Activities program, Berlin Community. The youth leaders' letters are accompanied by a note from Headquarters, Berlin Command, U. S. Army.

One youth leader's letter states: "Dear Sir:

"We have gratefully received your friendly gift, and we want to thank you for it.

"You should have seen the happy eyes of our kids when we told them that most of the children will get a new dress for Christmas.

"It will be a great help for us, because just all the dressing material is very expensive here in Berlin.

"Our house is a home for 160 boys and girls; most of them have no family, or only the mother or father, and for that reason they have sometimes lived and done not in the correct way. We try to bring our children in the right way of life, and for that your gift will give us a great help. Our kids are mostly supplied with official gifts. Your gift will give them a personal feeling that will help more than words. If they grow up in the right way it will be with your help.

"As soon as possible we will send you some pictures.

"For today we thank you again and our best wishes for a merry Christmas and a happy new year."

The letter from the Army Headquarters Command states:

"We have received your shipment of assorted dress materials, and on behalf of the German Youth Activities Program, Berlin Community, I would like to express by heartiest appreciation to you for this wonderful gift.

"We have distributed these goods among the local youth centers and to two German youth homes in the U. S. Sector of Berlin. As a matter of information there are 30 of these youth centers, each consisting of some 300 to 450 children. We have given the leaders of these centers your address, and I am sure you will hear from them shortly.

"The enclosed letters of thanks from a youth home were sent to us and are herewith submitted to you.

"Thanking you again for your valuable present, I remain

Sincerely yours
John C. Chandler
2nd Lt. Inf.
AYA/GYA Officer, BC"

White Oak Acorns Defeat Greensboro Y

On Saturday night, December 10 the White Oak Acorns of Cone Y defeated the Greensboro Central Y by a score of 78 to 77 in a thrilling ballgame. The visitors held a 33 to 28 half time score but the local team put on the pressure to come out victorious. Archie Wheeler led the scoring for the Cone Y team with 26 points, while Rick Ferrell had top honors for the visitors with 20. The following are the players of the White Oak team and the points they scored for that game.

Archie Wheeler (26) Frank Smith (16) John Smith (14) Phillip Whitt (7) Cleo Pegram (9) Al Smith (6) Mike Clayton (0).

Group Meets With Judith Kendrick

Judith Kendrick was hostess to the Y.W.A. of the 16th Street Baptist Church Tuesday night, December 13 at her home 2504 Spruce Street.

Mary Lee Lowe conducted the devotional. Peggy Holmes, presided over the business meeting.

Those taking part on the program were Vearle Whittington, Carol McCaslams. Mrs. Holt led in prayer.

After the regular program, a playlet on Lottie Moon, missionary to China was given.

Those present were: Judith Kendrick, Mary Lee Lowe, Sue Holmes, Vearle Whittington, Carol McCaslams, Peggy Holmes, and Mrs. Ernest G. Holt.

PRESENTED JIGSAW—Upon his retirement December 1, employees of the Salisbury Plant Card Room, presented Frank W. Bridges an 18-inch jigsaw for his workshop. Shown above from left to right, A. S. Parks, assistant overseer of carding on first shift, Clarence Moss, overseer of carding, Mr. Bridges, Paul Smith, assistant superintendent, C. S. Morris Jr., plant manager, and E. H. Graham, assistant overseer of carding second shift.

SERVICE AWARDS—These employees of Revolution Flannel Plant are shown receiving their 25-year bonus checks from Superintendent Coley Phillips. Each achieved a quarter of a century with the plant during the past year. Vice President Marion Heiss, wrote each of these employees a personal note of congratulation. They are, left to right, front row. Pearl D. Vickory, Beulah D. Grady, Alma J. Long, Louis S. Bayliff, Barney A. Blake, Johnie A. Lowe; second row, Marvin A. Apple, Willie E. Russell, Curnal Haynes, James Stephens, Henry Durham, Myrtle C. Frye, Maggie C. Oakley, Agnes T. Stead; third row, John A. Seagraves, Arzie H. Hinshaw, Alfred J. Smithey, Jule L. Linens, Victor F. Cochran, Ventry Hinshaw, Elzia C. Wiley, Wilbur L. Parrott, Sr., Howard J. Hilliard, Stephen C. Clark, David E. Sink.

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Pineville	Pineville	Mary Robinson and Inez Culp

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1955

A Merry Christmas

May health and happiness reign supreme during this Christmas holiday season. The celebration and activities of these festive holidays should include spiritual consideration and a recognition of the true significance of Christmas. Regardless of church or faith, everyone can conscientiously recognize the world's spiritual gift in the "Great Birth."

The great brotherhood of man can only be the salvation of civilization. As time moves on and world destruction can be wrought by a few scientific incidents, sane thinking, sympathetic relationships, and spiritual guidance become more and more important.

The Textorian, in sending its Christmas greetings, urges all to be careful when traveling and at home so as to avoid tragedies which too frequently occur during holiday periods.

We wish all a very, very, merry Christmas.

Did Not Fare Too Well

A great deal of encouragement seems to come from the recent action by the United Nations in accepting its new members. Certainly if the entire world could belong to an organization which would really strive for peace and goodwill among men, hopes for the future would be far brighter.

We feel a certain amount of keen disappointment, however, in the fact that, temporarily at least, the United States did not fare too well in her special nominations of certain nations. We realize that there are too many complications involved and it is too much to expect one hundred percent accord.

We do not particularly feel that our nation "has lost face" but it does seem a little funny that our leadership and our support financially in many segments of the world seems to be ignored at times when our nation makes special requests which to us are soundly based.

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CHRISTMAS SCENE—Vina Pickard, employee of the Canteen Service of Cone Memorial YMCA, is shown here in the lunch stand in the Finishing Department at White Oak Plant, with another one of her fine Christmas scenes. Each year Vina puts a great deal of work in bringing forth this for other employees to enjoy.

Pineville News

by Mary Robinson and Inez Culp

Miss Martha Ann Sharpe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Sharpe, and Mr. Charles Davis were united in holy matrimony on Sunday, December 11. The service was conducted by the Rev. Alvin G. Amick of the Methodist Church.

Heartfelt sympathy go out to the family of Mr. Herman Cone Sr. from the employees of Pineville Plant. T general meeting was held at the Baptist Church on Tuesday night. All four circles of that church were present.

Members of the Methodist Church held their annual family night supper on Sunday night. A Christmas padgent "His Star Still Shines" was presented for this gathering.

Cpl. James White, his wife, the former Joyce McCoy and baby are home with their parents for the Christmas holidays.

Janll Howington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Howington and Nathaniel Knobb of Georgia were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon in York, S. C.

Sunday school class of Mrs. Elizabeth Allen held their Christmas party Saturday night. The gathering was held at the home of Mrs. Martha Ann Adkins.

Terry Brewer, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Brewer celebrated his third birthday on the third of December. Terry had a birthday party attended by many of his friends, he received many nice gifts and a good time was had by all.

Pineville Junior High School chorus presented a Christmas padgent on Thursday night in the school auditorium.

Cranford Garrison Post 336 of the American Legion held their annual Christmas party on Thursday night. A ham supper was enjoyed by wives and children of the post. The main attraction was Santa Claus, he gave each child a bag and gift.

Friends and employees welcome Lee Costner back to work. Lee has been a patient in a veterans hospital for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Waters are the proud grand parents of their son's new baby son. Bobby J. Waters, their son, is stationed in Texas at the present time.

The choir of the Baptist Church presented Christmas music and singing Sunday night, the public was invited.

Men's Bible Class of Mr. T. C. Robertson and Samuel Crump set Sunday, December 18 as M. day. They set their goal to have 125 present for Sunday School.

We wish each and everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

(December 9)

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Satterfield celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on December 11. They held an open house at their home from three to five p.m. many of their friends called on them.

Friends are glad to have Mr. V. R. Revels back at work. He has been a patient in a Charlotte Hospital.

Ladies of all four W.M.U. Circles of Stough Memorial Baptist Church held their monthly meeting and Christmas party last Tuesday night. Gifts were exchanged and fun was had by everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith of Bessemer, Ala., spent a few days with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Satterfield.

A social was given Saturday night in the Church basement for the members of the choir. Mrs. Lita Gibson, pastor's wife is the music director.

A turkey supper was served in th school cafeteria and a bazaar was held in the school gym on Saturday. The gathering was sponsored by the ladies of the Methodist Church. All proceeds going for the building fund.

Pineville Junior High played their first basketball game against Mathews last Friday night. The game was played at Pineville gym, and Pineville won.

Joe Harris, employee of the Card Room has been a patient in Dr. Reids clinic for the past week. Friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Tarrance Robertson spent last week end at Hampton, Virginia visiting friends.

Friends are glad to know Mrs. Jerry Brown is at home recuperating from an operation. She was a patient in a Rock Hill Hospital.

Sunday school class of Mrs. Francis Atkinson held their annual Christmas party Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Mae Sowell.

The Bainey Circle of the Baptist Church visited the Providence nursing home Sunday afternoon. This gruop treated all the patients with fruit.

Jack Lear, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Lear is at home with his wife and baby. He has just completed a tour with the U. S. Navy.

A party was given at the home of Mrs. Mae Williams, honoring the juniors.

Calls For Safe And Sane Holiday Season

"Make this a safe and sane holiday season by following these rules," suggests Miss Marguerite Rawalt, of Washington, D. C., national president, National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, oldest and largest national organization in America of business and professional women.

1. Driving or walking, pay close attention to traffic safety rules.
2. Hold on to that trim figure by keeping holiday feasting with reasonable bounds.
3. Remember that too many late hours cut "on the job" efficiency.
4. At traditional office and New Year's parties, remember that a cup of coffee may help save lives as well as make friends.
5. Do not permit holiday gayety to obscure the essential meaning of Christmas.

"It is a matter of distress that December twenty-fourth has set an all-time record for fatal automobile accidents," says Miss Rawalt. "The National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, which has made health and safety a major field of activity for the past ten years, is dedicated to helping reduce this horrifying statistic."

Founded in 1919, the National Federation has 165,000 members in 48 states, the District of Columbia, Alaska, and Hawaii, representing more than 700 different jobs and professions.

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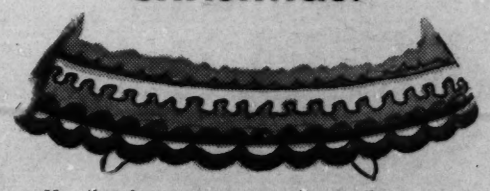

May they be as numerous as the needles on a Christmas tree, as bright as the lights which shine from your window, as long lasting as the Spirit of Christmas itself.

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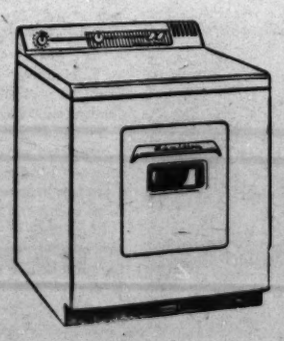

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Salisbury News

By Pauline Safrit

R. B. Lemley returned to work last Monday after having been absent for four months due to a hernia operation.

Mrs. Frank Parrish of 66 Hill Street entered Rowan Memorial Hospital last week for observation and treatment.

D. D. Smiley, W. J. Pennington and W. S. Hartsell went to Glenville, Georgia, last week end deer hunting and Mr. Smiley bagged an eight-point buck. The party reported a kill of two deer, one wild turkey and one of the above mentioned gentlemen was scared to death by a wild boar.

Mrs. Edna Cook entered Rowan Memorial Hospital December 15th for observation and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Dorsey spent last week visiting Mrs. Walter Ryan in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Dorsey in Hazelhurst, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter L. Eagle of Route 5, Salisbury have announced the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Mae, to Joseph William Watson, son of Mrs. John Creed of Elkhorn, West Virginia, and the late Robert Watson.

The wedding is planned for December 26.

The Harold B. Jarrett American Legion Auxiliary held its annual Christmas bazaar at the legion home last Saturday night.

The big prize, a freezer refrigerator, was won by L. A. Fisher. Mrs. Bernice Grimes won a country ham and door prizes were awarded to James Tarlton, Melda Foster and Ray Earnhardt.

Gifts were given to all the children, and hand-made articles, cakes, pies, sandwiches and coffee were sold.

David Daniel Smiley Jr. was initiated into the Arnold Air Society at North Carolina State College last Friday. The Arnold Air Society is composed of advanced Air Force ROTC students who have a high academic standing and a high degree of interest in the Air Force.

Smiley, a junior in industrial engineering, is a member of the Sigma Epsilon national social fraternity.

"What Do the Carols Say" was a Christmas presentation concerning the real meaning of Christmas which was given before the Ruth Sigmon Circle of Haven Lutheran Church last Thursday night.

A large attendance was present for the annual Christmas party and program which began at 6:30 with a covered dish supper in the Sunday school auditorium.

Taking part in the play were: Mrs. John Campbell, Mrs. John Coates, Mrs. Eugene Casper, Mrs. Clyde Kluttz, Mrs. Bill Briggs and Misses Nancy and Marietta Eagle. The women also enjoyed a duet by Pastor John Yost and Roy Simmons and a solo by Mrs. John Yost.

The Gladys Morgan Circle of Haven Lutheran Church gave a Christmas program last Friday night in the church primary department.

Miss Hazel McCormick, leader, with Mrs. L. E. Copley and Mrs. Everette Wilhelm, presented the program on "What Do the Christmas Carols Say?'

The decorations included a manger scene, a Christmas tree and many candles. Roy Simmons was pianist for the group singing of carols. He, Mrs. Bill McCulloh and Mrs. Wilhelm sang a trio, "For Unto Us a Child is Born," and Mrs. Wilhelm sang as a solo "O Holy Night" and "Magnificat."

Mrs. Simmons received a gift from the circle members.

Mrs. Carl Lyearly, hostess for the evening, served molds of fruited jello with whipped cram, cake and coffee. There were 13 members present with Mrs. Carl Sells and Mrs. John L. Yost Jr., as visitors.

Miss Martha Copley entertained last Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. B. A. Heilig, Milford Hills Drive, at a party for Miss Shirley Jeanne Bailey, January bride-elect of Larry Poteat.

The guests played hearts dice with Miss Marietta Eagle and Mrs. A. A. Heilig winning pizes. Mrs. Stafford Bailey drew the bride as her partner. Miss Copley gave the honoree a serving table.

The party rooms were decorated with red and white candles, poinsettas and cedar branches.

Refreshments of bridal cake squares, mixed nuts, mints and iced colas were served to Miss Bailey, her mother, Mrs. Stafford Bailey, and Mrs. Burton Harrison, Miss Bobbie Harrison, Mrs. B. A. Heilig, Mrs. A. A. Heilig, Miss Annie Lee Copley, Mrs. Robert Wilkerson, Miss Ann Atwell, Mrs. T. C. Atwell, Miss Lois Wilson, Miss Nancy Eagle and Miss Marietta Eagle. Miss Copley was assisted by her mother, Mrs. L. E. Copley.

(December 9)

Members of the junior, intermediate, young people and young adult departments of Stallings Memorial Baptist Sunday School went to the Baptist Orphanage at Thomasville last Friday for the annual Christmas party. The ladies took cup cakes, decorated for the Christmas season.

The Boyden High School Band, directed by R. E. Southwick, attended the annual Shrine Bowl festivities in Charlotte last Saturday.

In addition to marching in the long pre-game parade, the band was one of three to form figures during the half-time show. The other two bands were from Concord and Rock Hill, S. C.

The half-time show was based on the theme, "A Musical Salute to Home, School, Church, and Country." The Boyden Band was led by Drum Major Boyd Hight, and majorettes Linda Flynn, Jane Grogan, Sherrill Dennis, Elizabeth Ann Newsom, Becky Shores, and Eleanor Sims. Music played by a mass formation of all attending bands was "Home Sweet Home," "Auld Lang Syne," "God of Our Fathers," and "America, the Beautiful."

At the close of the half-time show all band members played their own school songs as they returned to their seats.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bost and Mrs. Ella Mesimore have just returned from a five-day tour to Florida where they visited Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Daytona Beach and Silver Springs. On the return trip home they stopped in Columbia, S. C., to hear their former pastor, Rev. A. K. Hewitt.

G. C. Teeter of 409 North Salisbury Avenue, Spencer, is home from the Veterans Hospital, Oteen, where he has been a patient for the past three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Beattie, 50 Hill Street, announce the birth of a son last week at Rowan Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. W. L. Jacobs, 71 Hill Street, has entered Rowan Memorial Hospital for observation and treatment.

Mr. Joe Bowen, assistant overseer of weaving on the first shift, has entered Rowan Memorial Hospital for observation and treatment.

Frank W. Bridges, 66, retired December 1 as Card Room overseer at the Salisbury Plant.

A native of Montgomery County, he was born in Mt. Gilead January 27, 1889, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges. When he was nine years old, the family moved to Salisbury and he began working in the Salisbury Cotton Mills as a sweeper and office boy. After a few years the family returned to Montgomery County. There he met and married Georgia Haithcock.

In 1914 he moved back to Salisbury and began work in the mill again. During World War I he worked in Portsmouth, Virginia, but later returned to Salisbury and resumed his employment with Salisbury Mills on January 10, 1918. He became overseer of carding in 1928 and served in that capacity until his retirement.

Mr. Bridges is a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church and is active in the work of the church. He has four children, Rev. Ralph Bridges, Mrs. G. V. Sanders, Mrs. Jim Duncan and Tommie Bridges, and six grand-children.

The employees of the card room presented Mr. Bridges with an 18-inch jig saw to go with the other power tools he has set up in his basement workshop. Wood work and flower gardening are his chief hobbies and he says he "is already behind with both."

DOGS

by Farley Manning

WAR DOGS

Dogs have fought at the sides of their masters in time of war or served them in other capacities at the battle front from earliest days. Some of the greatest military leaders never ventured into a military campaign without their favorite pet. Alexander the Great, during his march of conquest through Asia was saved by his ferocious pet, Perities, who awakened as a would-be assasin poised a dagger above the heart of a great leader. Perities lunged for the murdered and dragged him down, but the poison point pricked the loyal dog and he died instead of his master.

Both as personal guards and as soldiers under orders, dogs have proved their courage, and usefulness in battle. The Gauls bred large strong animals especially intended for war. They wore a kind of armor, with spikes and curved knives, jointed and light enough to permit free movement, but heavy enough to protect the bodies.

The invention of gun powder modified the dogs usefulness as a combat soldier, but other capacities came to the fore. During the American Revolution, the recruiting of soldiers with their dogs was encouraged, and during the Russo-Japanese War in 1904, the Russians were enthusiastic about ambulance dogs.

In World War I, hundreds of dogs were trained by the English to be messengers at the front or for guard duty and Red Cross service. The French used sled dogs to haul ammunition and supplies in high mountain fighting. The Italians harnessed St. Bernards in teams to drag machine gun carriages.

The career of war dogs reached a new high during World War II. Thousands of trained animals were used on both sides of the conflict. The Germans trained approximately 200,000 dogs for war. The Russians mobilized some 50,000 animals. When the United States entered the conflict thousands of dogs were mobilized and trained, most of them donated by patrotic owners. They were employed for sentries, scouts, messengers, sled and pack work.

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Eno Plant News

by Edna S. Ellis

Horace K. (Cuz) Greason retired November 30 after serving the past 17 years at Eno Plant in Hillsboro.

Born April 11, 1891 in Newark, New Jersey, the son of the late George and Catherine Greason, he is a brother of Murray Greason, head basketball coach at Wake Forest College. The Greason family moved to North Carolina when Horace Greason was three years old and he attended high school and college in Wake Forest. His first job was with Royal Cotton Mill, Wake Forest, where he remained until he came to Eno Plant in September 1938 as overseer of the mechanical department, which position he has held until the present.

Reminiscing the past years, Mr. Greason stated that his association with the company and fellow employees has always been pleasant; that it had been a privilege and a pleasure to be connected with Eno Plant.

Mr. Greason has not made definite plans for the future, but he tentatively plans to continue residing in Hillsboro, get in plenty of fishing and relaxation at home with his coffee cup and TV.

West Hillsboro School News

These had perfect attendance for three consecutive months at West Hillsboro School:

Linda Kay Bivins, David Andrews, Daryle Moore, Dwight Phillips, Bonnie Boyd, Shirley Hardison, Janice Dickey, Beatrice Keeter, Edna Dickey, Ben Roark, Tim Horner, Roger Hudspeth, Beverly Bolick, Brenda Clapp, Jimmy Busick, Chester Mayes, Sue Albright, Paulette Craven, Coble Hester, Barbara Jones, Dianne Terrell, Mary Ann Brewer, Jean Johnson.

Carolyn Wilder, Denny Andrews, Karey Bateman, Rudy Davis, Wayne Lane, James Ray, Randy Riley, Raymond Wilson, Floyd Bolick, Butch Craven, Danny Davis, Annie Ruth Jones, Brenda Hicks, Carolyn James, Evelyn Keeter, Linda Parker, Sybel Riley, Glenda Terrell, Ann Stephens, Mary Parker, Arlene Allison, Sandra Brown.

Perfect attendance third month.

First Grade: Mrs. Brown, teacher, Linda Kay Bivins, David Andrews, Daryle Moore, Dwight Phillips, Bonnie Boyd, Shirley Hardison, Janice Dickey, Beatrice Keeter, Edna Dickey, Ben Roark.

First and second: Miss Umstead, teacher: Tim Horner, Roger Hudspeth, Wallace Williams, Beverly Bolick, Brenda Clapp.

Third grade: Mrs. Cole, teacher: Rita Ashley, Denny Andrews, Arlene Allison, Karey Bateman, Sandy Brown, Wesley Bolick, Jean Johnson, Rudy Davis, Mary Ann Brewer, Fred Dickey, Diane Jones, Wayne Lane, Bernice Keeter, James Ray, Carolyn Wilder, Randy Riley, Raymond Wilson.

Second grade: Mrs. Bailey, teacher: Bobby Ashley. Wilson Boyd, Ricky Combs, Robert Lee Phillips, Dwight Porterfield, Jimmy Wilson, Rosa Lee Brewer, Dianne Davis, Faye Jones, Joan Faye Lane, Jackie Rook, Linda Spoon, Carolyn Webster, Barbara Williams, Linda K. Wilson.

Fourth grade: Mrs. Smith, teacher: Jimmy Busick, Tommy Guess, Chester Mayes, George Smith, Jr., Bobby Utsman, Sue Albright, Paulette Craven, Doris Davis, Coble Hester, Barbara Jones, Frances Laws, Mary Parker, Rita Stephens, Diane Terrell, Linda Williams, Judy Wrenn.

Fifth grade: Mrs. Phelps, teacher: Floyd Bolick, Geneva Dickey, Lonnie Brown, Annie R. Jones, Butch Craven, Danny Davis, Roger Stephens, Gene Summey, Newman Smith, Ernest Watts, Roger Williams, Janie Carr.

Sixth grade: Mrs. Harris, teacher: Dinker Lamb, Buddy Melton, Edward Moore, Thomas Stansbury, Kent Taylor, Pat Craven, Linda Hare, Brenda Hicks, Carolyn James, Evelyn Keeter, Linda Parker, Sybel Riley, Glenda Terrell, Ann Stephens.

"Junior said his first word today, dear."

PAST PRESIDENTS—Proximity Y's Men's Club honored it past presidents recently. They are left to right, front row, Raymond Kincaid, Archie Baynes, Fred Newnam; back row, Pete Costner, Curt May, Wade Jenkins and Fred Ziprik.

BOWLING NEWS

By Maxine Allen

Records fell last Friday night in the Cone Ladies' League when Summit Center Esso took advantage of the breaks that came their way, to bowl a new team-set record, 1392, and a new single game record, 493. Winning three games from Edmond's Drug Store, they gained a solid second place position in league standings, six games behind Benlee's.

High individual set for Summit Center Esso, 294, was bowled by Jeanette Southern, as well as 114 high game. For Edmond's high game and set were bowled by Minnie Wood ... 279 and 100.

Benlee's, with Marjorie Mendenhall's 276 high set and 104 high game, took three from Kool Springs Trailer Park. For Kool Springs, Lorraine Amos bowled a 281 set, and 101 high game.

League records to date are: High Team set, Summit Center Essos 1392; High team game. Summit Center Esso, 493; High individual set, Ellen Fisher, 311; High individual game, Ila Roberts, 130; High individual average, Ila Roberts, 94.3.

Team Standings

Team	Won	Lost
Benlee's	26	13
Summit Esso	20	19
Edmond's Drug	17	22
Kool Springs	16	23

UNION BLEACHERY

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ter Pollution Control, states that cleaning up the Reedy is an "almost unsurmountable problem."

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ATTENDANCE ROLL

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Browder, Martha Coble, Phillip Coley, David Crawley, Gerald Crum, Earlene Cochran, Carl Gray, Larry Hicks, Ruth Hicks, Larry Kirkman, Barry Lemmons, Roger Pinson, Jerry Sherrill, Tommy Smith, Geraldine Smith, Sandra Smith, Mary Ann Stanley, David Strickland, Charles Thigpen, Michael Welchel, Joyce Woodell.

Mrs. Hood, 7th grade: Billy Bookout, Robert Edwards, Ray Holcomb, Robert Massey, Bobby McCaskill, Eddie Murphy, Ted Nance, Stephen Perdue, Ronnie Robertson, Dickie Russell, Raymond Sailey, Joseph Sams, Michael Sams, Johnny Ward, Brenda Burns, Elizabeth Joyce, Marilyn Leonard, Jeanette Riddle, Brenda Shelton, Judy Shropshire, Vicky Smith.

Mr. Pegram, 7th grade: Robert Apple, David Fuller, Jerry Gordon, Michael Hicks, Donnie Johnson, Jackie Moore, Kelly Pinkelton, Charles Scott, Richard Seagraves, Michael Swaim, Frankie Joe Wicker, Gloria Benjamin, Linda Connelly, Brenda Farmer, Linda Hill, Dawn Hill, Kay King, Nancy Murchison, Brenda Poole, Myra Rink, Mary Ann Roberts.

Miss Yates, 7th grade: Elsie Adams, Kathy Anderson, Donna V. Brady, Jimmy Campbell, K. C. Clymer, Carol Cox, Bobby Elliott, Linda Gibson, Eddie Lineberry, Carl Pegram, Charles Rhew, William Robertson, Richard Southern, Kenneth Vaughn, Diane Ward.

Mrs. Howard, 8th grade: Jerry Causey, Raymond Collins, Jerry Craig, Glenn Fuller, David Gwyn, Wayne Michael, Jimmy Oldham, Jimmy Roberts, Bennie Southern, Daisy Amick, Jane Brown, Rebecca Craven, Valerie Fennell, Judith Hicks, Agnes Jones, Janice Nance.

Miss Pugh, 8th grade: Melvin Barham, Eddy Brewey, Sara Cable, Tommy Clark, Elzon Cox, Gerald Fuller, Clifton Guffey, Larry Hawks, Pamala Jones, Travis Maness, Hazel Martin, Suzanne Morgan, Charles Morris, Jeanie Sanderson, Jerry Sanderson, Jerry Smith, Frances Stephens, Tommy Templeton, Dickie Whitt, Mary Wrenn.

Mrs. Redmon, 8th grade: Paul Beal, Herman Browning, Tony Clayton, Wesley Cuthbertson, Donnell Ellis, Larry Gibson, Jimmy Hayes, Fred Leonard, Harlie Melton, Jack Stanley, Sudie Barnett, Doris Brasher, Norma Cockman, Ginger Gillie, Becky Jones, Shirley McCandless, Janet Phillips.

Miss Scott, 8th grade: Charles Carelock, James Crowder, Ronnie Myers, Kenneth Ritter, Larry Scruggs, Charles Yates, Patricia Brooks, Brenda Hepler, Mildred Johnson, Grace Whiteside, Bobbie Williams.

Mrs. Burton, 9th grade: Alton Caviness, Ann Caviness, Bernie Caviness, Judy Cockerham, Billy Farlow, Linda Fulk, Alton Hicks, Judy Hipp, Arnold Hudgin, Wanda Kinney, Joyce Lowman, Willard Myers, Charles Pinkelton, Jane Spence, Billy Swofford, Virginia Walker, Nancy Yow.

Mr. Etheridge, 9th grade: Walter Brown, Duiane Cockman, Tommy Edwards, Eddie Flanary, Johnny Anne Culbreth, Carolyn Dahlfues, Nancy Gauldin, Mary Ellen Johnson, Betty Newell, Joan Riddle, Susan Starling, Phyllis Smith.

Miss Freeland, 9th grade: Thomas Haithcock, Joe Hill, Murice Jones, Jeffrey Newnam, David Russell, Earl Tanksley, Dean Wilson, Argie Apple, Martha Brady, Bonnie Curtis, Patricia Davis, Rebecca Morrisson, Peggy Overman, Shelby Robertson, Jo Ann Swaney, Martha Welchel.

Miss Woods, 9th, grade: Bonnie Brown, Karen Lemmons, Carol Myers, Jean Poteat, Ramona Shelton, Donnie McDaniel, Lewey Stevens, Cletus Trogdon, Marshall Lowe, Martha Crabtree.

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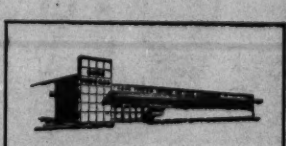

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